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PATENT APPLICATION

APPLICANT: Anthony Bessios

CASE: Bessios 3

TITLE: Compensation Of Polarization Mode Dispersion In Single Mode Fiber
For Maximum-Likelihood Sequence Estimation

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Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

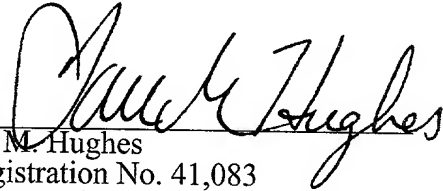
1. Transmittal Letter (1 page & 2 copies);
2. Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages); and
3. Patent Application with Informal Drawings (1 Cover Page; 8 Pages of Specification; 3 Pages of Claims; 1 Page of Abstract; 2 Sheet(s) of Drawings).

CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	25 - 20=	5	x \$18 =	\$ 90
Independent Claims	3 - 3=	0	x \$80 =	\$ 0
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$270 =	\$
Basic Fee				\$710
			TOTAL FEE:	\$800

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